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# ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

## SELECTMEN & AUDITORS

OF THE

Town of Wentworth,

FOR THE

YEAR ENDING MARCH 1, 1878.

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1878.

REPORT OF THE SELECTMEN  
Of Wentworth for the year ending March 1st, 1878.

RECEIPTS.

The Selectmen charge themselves as follows :

To resident cash assessments,	\$5710 57	
“ non-resident cash assessments,	154 91	
“ “ highway “	34 10	
“ school house tax in districts No 2 & 9,	309 78	
“ “ “ “ 5,	18 75	
“ “ “ “ 8,	487 57	
“ dog tax,	72 00	6787 68
“ received of County, support of paupers,	78 32	
“ “ State, Railroad tax,	310 07	
“ “ “ Savings Bank tax,	199 96	
“ “ “ Literary fund,	98 90	
“ “ “ Bounties on 2 bears,	20 00	
“ “ B. C. & M. Railroad, damages,	45 00	
“ “ Rents on lease lands,	53 45	
“ “ Cash in treasury March 1, 1877,	1220 87	
“ “ from Collector for 1876,	1413 96	
“ “ Town bonds sold,	300 00	

Whole amount received,

\$10,528 21



## DISBURSEMENTS.

## SCHOOL MONEY.

Paid	L. W. Currier,	District No. 1,	\$105 00
"	E. M. Blodgett,	" 2 & 9,	198 00
"	E. A. Bradbury,	" 3,	67 00
"	Henry Chase,	" 4,	104 00
"	S. J. Pease,	" 5,	129 00
"	J. S. Breck,	" 6,	87 00
"	J. L. Downing,	" 7,	85 00
"	Joseph Boyd,	" 8,	84 00
"	Hiram Webster,	" 10,	79 00
"	Charles Merrill,	" 11,	75 00
"	David Gove,	" 12,	105 00
"	F. W. Clough,	" 13,	32 00
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			\$1150 00

## SOCIETY MONEY.

Paid	Congregational Society,	\$11 00
"	Baptist Society,	9 00
"	Universatist Society,	13 00
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		\$ 33 00

## HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES.

Paid	Lyman Ellsworth,	\$ 2 16
"	M. E. Harris,	15 00
"	W. W. Brown,	20 40
"	Charles Turner,	5 12
"	S. J. Pease,	24 90
"	W. H. Moore,	13 00
"	E. M. Blodgett,	44 20
"	C. B. Simpson,	3 50
"	E. G. Davis,	10 10
"	S. B. Burnham,	24 63
"	J. P. Eaton,	14 00
"	L. P. Whitcher,	54
"	John Sanders,	8 00
"	Eaton, Davis & Co.,	3 65
"	D. A. Foster,	15 20
"	John Foster,	19 69
"	H. P. Wells,	4 02
"	Joseph Boyd,	2 60

" James Kimball,	2 50
" H. P. Chase,	3 50
" Joseph Colburn,	2 00
" Samuel Nason,	11 90
" Uriah Colburn,	5 04
" Horace Lathrop,	4 08
" George Ellsworth,	30 87
" John Witcher,	29 20
" J. N. Foster,	1 50
" S. F. Savage,	1 85
" M. L. Aiken,	2 00
" Samuel Harris,	1 20
" B. W. Brown,	7 91
" W. O. Chase,	16 50
" J. L. Downing,	4 02
" T. P. Nutting,	49 92
" J. H. Emery,	1 50
" F. Richardson,	1 50
" Lyman Ellsworth,	3 00

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\$ 410 70

#### MISCELLANEOUS.

Paid Wm. C. Pillsbury, watering trough 1876,	\$2 00
" G. C. Furber, printing reports for 1876 and '7,	19 00
" Charles Hobbs, damage on highway,	12 00
" B. W. Sanborn & Co., books and blanks,	4 00
" M. H. H. Breck, abatement tax on horse,	1 71
" C. W. Clifford, abatement tax on J. Dana's personal property,	14 35
" L. W. Currier, cash paid out,	15 00
" Cash paid bounties on wild animals,	16 90
" F. Eaton, services writing town report, correcting check list and settling town bills after March 1, 1876,	6 00
" F. Eaton, abatement tax on bark,	3 41

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\$ 94 37



## TOWN PAUPER BILLS.

Paid N. H. Asylum, support of J. F. Stevens,	\$181 21
" James Kimball, boarding F. Ellsworth,	85 50
" " making shirts and robe for F. Ellsworth,	1 25
" F. A. Durkee, medical attendance "	11 75
" M. L. Aikin, digging grave, "	3 00
" Eaton, Davis & Co., goods furnis'd, "	3 66
" H. D. Morey, coffin, "	18 00
" Eaton, Davis & Co., goods furnished H. Aikin,	84 79
" W. H. Moore, " "	26 05
" " plowing "	1 50
" L. W. Currier, for goods furnished "	3 63
" Eaton, Davis & Co., flour furnished Peter Clifford,	5 62
" W. H. Moore, pork &c. furnished E. B. Currier Jr.,	1 81
" Eaton, Davis & Co., goods furnished Mrs. Chase,	2 00
" W. H. Moore, keeping tramps,	2 25
" L. W. Currier, "	36 75
" E. M. Blodgett, "	13 25
" F. S. Savage, meal &c. for H. Aikin,	9 30
" A. M. Cogswell, Franklin readers for "	1 00
" Eastman & Brown, pauper bill,	3 90
" A. A. Whipple, medical attendance, Mrs. H. Aikin,	14 25
" E. B. Currier, boarding E. B. Currier Jr.,	37 39
" J. G. Pierce, funeral services for F. Ellsworth,	1 00
" E. M. Blodgett, goods furnished Mrs. Chase,	1 85

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\$ 559 21

## COUNTY PAUPER BILLS.

Paid Eaton, Davis & Co., goods furnished Mrs. Mitchell,	\$ 23 79
" L. W. Currier, cash paid "	5 00
" W. H. Moore, goods furnished Mrs. H. Currier,	33
" B. T. White, keeping R. B. Clifford to May 1, 1877,	20 00
" L. W. Currier, cash paid Mrs. Mitchell to May 1, 1877,	21 28

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\$ 70 40

## TOWN OFFICER BILLS.

Paid A. M. Cogswell, S. S. Committee,	\$ 25 00
" Wm. H. Davis, Town Clerk,	30 00
" L. W. Currier, Selectman,	100 00
" S. B. Burnham, "	50 00
" E. M. Blodgett, "	45 00
" M. L. Aikin, Collector,	75 00
" L. W. Currier, Treasurer,	25 00
" Auditors,	6 00

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\$ 356 00

Paid State tax,	\$ 468 00
" County tax,	644 70
" Coupons,	1098 00
" Town Bonds and interest,	1421 93
" David Boyd, school-house tax, Dis. No. 8,	400 00
" Franklin Eaton, " " Nos. 2 & 9,	300 00

## ABATEMENTS.

Paid A. Philbrick, 1876,	\$ 2 30
" George Lowe, "	2 30
" Wm. Childs, "	2 30
" Joseph Whitmore "	2 30
" Hiram Aiken, 1877,	2 28
" J. L. Ellsworth, "	2 28
" J. Blake, " non-resident highway,	1 25
" R. Hall, " " "	40
Due from Collector, 1876,	177 84
" " 1877,	1945 70
Cash in Treasurer's hands,	1382 95

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Whole amount, \$10528 21  
Respectfully submitted,

L. W. CURRIER, } Selectmen  
S. B. BURNHAM, } of  
E. M. BLODGETT, } Wentworth.

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We hereby certify that we have examined the foregoing accounts and find them well kept, accurately cast and properly vouched.

S. G. CURRIER, }  
JEREMIAH BLODGETT, } Auditors,  
JAMES SMART, }



## LIABILITIES OF THE TOWN, MARCH 1, 1878.

Town Bonds,	\$17,300 00
Interest on town Bonds,	692 00
Orlow Rollins' note and interest,	350 39

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\$18342 39

## ASSETS.

Due from State Railroad tax,	\$310 00
“ “ Savings Bank tax,	200 00
“ “ Literary Fund,	100 00
“ “ Bounties,	16 90
“ County, support of paupers,	28 79
“ John Whitcher, note and interest,	148 88
“ Rents on lease land,	60 00
“ from collector, 1873,	71 30
“ “ 1874,	21 32
“ “ 1875,	22 67
“ “ 1876,	177 84
“ “ 1877,	1945 70
Cash in the treasury,	1382 95

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\$ 4486 35

Balance of indebtedness, \$13856 04

Decrease of debt since last year, \$ 2021 81

Respectfully submitted,

L. W. CURRIER,	} Selectmen of Wentworth.
S. B. BURNHAM,	
E. M. BLODGETT.	







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